

Area-Wide Soil Contamination Task Force Meeting

November 7, 2002, 9:00-4:30
Mountaineers Clubhouse, Pinnacle Room
300 Third Avenue W., Seattle, WA

9:00 – 9:10 **Welcome, Introductions, and Agenda Review (10 minutes)**

9:10 – 9:40 **Check In on Where We are on the Map Based on Recent Meetings (30 minutes)**

Based on the subgroup calls, there seems to be emerging convergence in a number of areas. For example, convergence seems to be emerging around the idea that there should be education materials about what individuals can do to minimize the likelihood that they will be exposed to arsenic or lead in soil. We will list and test areas of emerging convergence to give context to the subgroup reports.

Supporting Materials:

- *Project map*

9:40 – 11:10 **Nature and Extent Group Report and Discussion (1½ hours)**

- *Discuss what is known about area-wide contamination – from the preliminary estimates report.*
- *Present subgroup maps and discuss layered approach to communicating information on area-wide contamination.*
- *Present and discuss flow chart to help individuals refine their understanding of the potential for arsenic and lead contamination at individual properties*
- *Decide on next steps for nature & extent group*

Supporting Materials:

- *Executive summary of preliminary estimates report*
- *Subgroup maps and other mapping options*
- *Nature and extent flow chart*

(We will take a 10 minute break during this time.)

11:10 – 11:20 **Opportunity for Public Comments (10 minutes)**

11:20 – 11:30 **Communication Report and Forecast (10 minutes)**

Discuss any press contacts or communication activities that have occurred since the September Task Force meeting and contacts or activities anticipated in between the November and January meetings.

11:30 – 11:40 **Agency Update on Arsenic and Lead Activities (10 minutes)**
Each of the chartering agencies will provide an update on other efforts related to arsenic and lead.

Supporting Materials:

- *Handouts at the meeting*

11:40 – 1:00 **Lunch with Presentation from Public Health - Seattle & King County (1 hour 20 minutes)**

During lunch, Dr. Ngozi Oleru, Chief of Environmental Health for Public Health - Seattle & King County, will talk about what is being done to address area-wide arsenic and lead contamination in King County.

Supporting Materials:

- *Handouts at the meeting*

(Lunch is provided for Task Force members.)

1:00 – 2:15	Protective Measures Group Report and Discussion (1½ hours) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Distribute final working draft protective measures evaluation tables and highlight changes made in response to Task Force and subgroup comments.</i> ▪ <i>Present initial list of protective measures to consider for Task Force recommendations.</i> ▪ <i>Discuss further development of protective measure recommendations and decide on next steps for the protective measures group.</i> 	Supporting Materials: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Revised protective measures evaluation tables</i> ▪ <i>Handouts at the meeting</i>
2:15 – 2:30	Opportunity for Public Comments (15 minutes)	
2:30 – 2:45	Break (15 minutes)	
2:45 – 3:15	Institutional Frameworks Group Report and Discussion (30 minutes) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Discuss potential institutional approaches for gathering, maintaining, and providing information and education about the nature and extent of contamination and the types of protective measures that might be implemented.</i> ▪ <i>Discuss other implications of nature & extent and protective measures approaches for the institutional frameworks work and decide on next steps for the institutional frameworks group.</i> 	Supporting Materials: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Handouts at the meeting</i>
3:15 – 3:30	Funding Group Report and Discussion (15 minutes) <p><i>Discuss the implications of the other subgroups' work for identifying possible funding sources and financing mechanisms for addressing area-wide soil contamination and decide on next steps for the funding group.</i></p>	Supporting Materials: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>List of example funding approaches</i>
3:30 – 4:00	Agency Response to Health Monitoring Letter (30 minutes) <p><i>The chartering agencies will respond to the Task Force co-chairs' letter requesting increased health monitoring for lead and arsenic.</i></p>	Supporting Materials: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Handouts at the meeting</i>
4:00 – 4:20	Return to Areas of Convergence and Wrap Up (20 minutes) <p><i>Reevaluate the initial areas of convergence outlined at the start of the meeting in light of the Task Force's discussions at this meeting and discuss next steps for future Task Force activities.</i></p>	
4:20 – 4:30	Opportunity for Public Comments (10 minutes)	
4:30	Adjourn	

Please note, all Area-Wide Soil Contamination Task Force meetings are open to the public and public comments are welcome. To respect the Task Force process and allow the Task Force to carry out its deliberations, people are asked to hold their questions and comments until the specific opportunities for public comment that are provided on the agenda. If needed, meetings will be extended to accommodate the number of commenters who wish to speak. Lunch will be provided for Task Force members. We regret that we cannot provide lunch for the public. Advance supporting materials are distributed approximately one week before the meeting.